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ABSTRACT

A method and apparatus is provided for cooling a water stream in an evaporative cooling tower that comprises passing the water stream thru a flow distribution means over a high surface area packing material to wet the surface of the packing material and contacting the wet packing material surface with a moving gas stream.

A method and apparatus is provided for cooling a water stream in an evaporative cooling tower that comprises passing the water stream thru a flow distribution means over a high surface area packing material to wet the surface of the packing material and contacting the wet packing material surface with a moving gas stream.

A method and apparatus is provided for cooling a water stream in an evaporative cooling tower that comprises passing the water stream thru a flow distribution means over a high surface area packing material to wet the surface of the packing material and contacting the wet packing material surface with a moving gas stream.